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Happenings in and Around Frank

Our new blacksmith, C. A. Walker has started work in Mr. Gresham's shop.

W. H. Coates, who has been at the coast since the strike began, returned to town on Monday from Vancouver.

Corporal Goodrich and wife left on Saturday for Macleod. The corporal will no doubt be missed around town.

The dance given on Friday night in the interests of the hockey club is reported as being a great success. About fifty couples were present.

Mr. Viden, the new master-mechanic, who is to take the place vacated by Mr. Simpson, is expected to start work the first of the month.

Mrs. M. Drumm received word from Fred Livingstone this week. Fred is at Redman, Ore., and reports himself as doing well and enjoying good health.

"I don't believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction City, Mo. This remedy is also supposed for colds and croup. For sale by All Dealers.

Knox Methodist Church, Frank Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Service every Sunday evening at 7:30. Subject next Sunday: Does it pay to do right? Bible Study Class on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. T. Young.

On Tuesday night a meeting of the hockey team was held to discuss matters of interest to the club, and on Wednesday a meeting of the Crow's Nest Pass hockey league was held in town, representatives of each hockey team from Coldman to Pincher Creek being present.

The rink is progressing favorably. The fence has been put up to provide a place for spectators at the hockey games this winter. On Monday night a number of the young men of town turned out and before the evening's work was finished the rink was in the process of being flooded. Thawing is expected in a short time.

Two Trains Collide--

No One Hurt

An exciting time was experienced in Frank for a short time on Monday morning, when the "flyer" going west ran into the yard engine here. The yard engine, which was under the control of Conductor Carruthers and engineer Moore had gone to the tank to get water and on returning it went to the west end to get on the switch. Before it reached the switch, the flyer, running a few minutes ahead of time, came around the corner from the slide and crashed into it. Both engines were badly battered, but nobody was hurt, except that the sudden stop gave the passengers a rather unexpected jar. Several couplings were broken, as well as dishes and other furnishings of the dining car. No doubt much more harm would have been done had it not been for the fact that the yard engine had no load on. The only explanation of the accident was that the engineers could not see the other engine coming in toward them, on account of the steam rising in the frosty air. The flyer had to wait here till engine No 886 was brought in from Crow's Nest.

Happenings in and Around Cowley

W. J. Middleton has accepted a position with the firm of W. G. Askey.

The foundation for the new public school has been laid just south-west of Tweedy Bros. premises.

McIvor Bros. expect to open up their new store next week. Their new premises are indeed a credit to the town.

Joseph Kean's new building is nearing completion and will be ready for opening about the 15th of December.

Threshing operations are progressing slowly, after being very much handicapped by the recent stormy weather.

Cowley hockey club are planning for their rink, which will soon be got in readiness. The new rink will be of the full size, 80 x 160 ft.

The case of Lighthouse vs. Drewry was concluded at Macleod last week. Judgment was delivered in favor of Lighthouse in an award of \$500 damages.

An auction sale of horses, cattle and farm implements was held here on Monday. Bidding ran high, but some good bargains were had.

Several of our citizens had the good fortune of cruising to Blairmore on Wednesday and enjoying the Big West Minstrel's performance.

Christmas seems to be already upon us, and the stores are getting in their quota of nice things that have the usual dainty and cheerful appearance.

Messrs. McIvor Bros and W. G. Askey have both laid in immense stocks and are prepared to cater to the wants of the people of the town and suburbs in good style.

John Kemmis, the newly returned M.P.P. for Pincher Creek, went to Edmonton on Sunday, to attend the opening of the legislature. He will be away for some time.

An enjoyable dance was given in the opera house on Friday night last in honor of Miss Tweedy, who leaves in a few days for the Old Country. A large number of friends were in attendance and enjoyed themselves immensely.

J. C. Drewry, proprietor of the Glen Ranch, left this week for Chicago, where he will attend the Chicago Land Show, the Irrigated Lands convention and the Chicago annual fair stock show, which will be in progress for the next two or three weeks.

J. M. Easterbrook's new threshing outfit is doing good work. Mr. Easterbrook can boast of having the best and most modern outfit for threshing in Southern Alberta. The engine, a gas tractor, can be converted for any purpose, ploughing, threshing, etc., and is the greatest labor saving invention for farm work to-day. Mr. Easterbrook purchased his new outfit through the local agent, Mr. H. C. Morrison who had an expert come here to set the machine working. Mr. Easterbrook's crop this year will amount to over 1000 bushels.

The secretary of the hockey club received a request that the club be represented at a meeting to be held at Frank this week for the purpose of re-arranging the Pass league. Members of both Cowley and Pincher Creek clubs are desirous that the bounds of the league be confined to that portion of Southern Alberta between Crow's Nest and Pincher; otherwise there is little

Happenings in and Around Bellevue

Mrs. Miller returned from Taber last week.

C. M. O'Brien, M. P. P., was in the camp last week.

Mrs. Hugh Hutton arrived from Scotland on Monday.

Mrs. Tippe and family left on Saturday night for Finland.

Mrs. Goodman and family came in from Fernie, B.C. on Saturday.

George Goldsmith, of Peaton, P.C. arrived in the camp on Wednesday.

Fred Lund, of Mountain Mill, was at the Southern Hotel on Tuesday.

President Powell, of District 18 U. M. W. of A., was in the camp last week.

Rev. W. T. Young and W. Scott of Frank, were in the camp on Wednesday.

Mr. Irwin preaches in Methodist church next Sunday on the subject "What is God?"

Mr. McKay attended the dedication services at Furniss Presbyterian church on Sunday.

Bellevue mine was thoroughly inspected last week by federal and provincial officials.

Congratulations are abounding toward Harry White upon the advent of an infant daughter in his home.

A free-for-all dance was held in the socialist hall on Friday evening last, and a good time was spent by all who participated.

The C. P. R. are repairing the bridge which crosses the Old Man river near the Leitch Collieries mine at Passburg.

Rev. T. M. Murray of Coleman, attended the opening services of the new Presbyterian church at Burnis on Sunday. He preached at Hillcrest in the afternoon.

The children of Bellevue will be glad to learn that the school-board is alive to their needs, and extra equipment has been provided for a primary class which will be opened after the Christmas holidays, under Miss Rogers' supervision.

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Editorial Notes

Surely that English author
who, when writing of Novem-
ber, declared there were "No
shade, no shine, no fruit, no
flowers, no leaves," never visit-
ed our town where the warm
radiance of the sun has been
felt for fully the past two
weeks and where daisies and
strawberries were picked in
fairly large quantities a few
days ago on one of the hills
facing the town.

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lated town should and will
support a public library, and as
a starter in this direction we
suggest to our people the feasibility
of such an undertaking. Well
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some laws. True intelligence
elevates the morals of a com-
munity. Good books easy of
access rid street corners of
many loafers. With plenty of
interesting books at hand long
winter evenings may be profit-
ably spent, and a good public
library combined with good
schools well sustained, will do
much towards eradicating
many prominent evils and cor-
recting many crooked and per-
verse ways.

We notice that people in at-
tending a public entertainment
in the opera house or hall have
no hesitancy in taking front
seats, in fact, there is a general
rush for them, and usually a
higher price is willingly paid
for the privilege. We also
notice in church the custom is
right the reverse, everybody
crowds into the back seats and
if there are any empty chairs
they are always between the
preacher and people, and the
glad tidings of salvation lose
half their charms in having to
bound over empty pews to
reach the audience. Why this
should be the custom is not
exactly clear to us, unless in
the latter instance position is
taken according to scripture.
"The lowest place first in order
to be invited higher."

What Others Think
If Carnegie had to dig coal you
would never hear of a mine ex-
plosion.—Appeal to Reason.

In these modern days the man
who does not advertise is a fool,
miser, or too bashful to put his
name in the paper.—Greenwood
Ledger.

Our "fleet" is to be called the
Royal Canadian Navy which is all
right except that it is not "Royal"
and it is not "Canadian" and it is
not a "Navy"—Montreal Star.
For every millionaire there must
be a thousand paupers. There can
be no mountains without valleys
between: No great accumulation
of wealth without great poverty.—
Cotton's Weekly.

Baker's bat, the "big stick" that
dashed the hopes of the Giants,
has been sold at auction for \$250.
It will have its place in history
along with the pens that have
signed peace proclamations and the
swords of heroes.—New York
World.

It would not be surprising to see
Wilfred Laurier back in power
very shortly. Owing to the re-

Happenings in and Around Blairmore

The ten-year-old child of Mr
Laveria, of the Rocky Mountain
Cement works died on Wednesday
morning.

Mrs. (Dr.) Sawyer and two chil-
dren came up from Cowley on Sat-
urday. Dr. Sawyer joined them
here on Monday.

Miss H. Madden and Mr. W.
Knight were amongst the Lund-
brook folk who came to town Wed-
nesday night to hear the Big West
Minstrels.

Another car of Royal Household
Flour due in a few days. Watch
for our ad. upon arrival—Alberta
Trading Company, the Store, of
Quality, Phone 147.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Potter came
down from Fernie on Saturday.
Mr. Potter is preparing plans and
specifications for a water works
system for the town of Coleman.

What is more acceptable as a
Christmas gift to a lady friend
than a dainty box of chocolate
creams? Go to Murray's. He
has the quality at the price that
will suit you.

Central Baptist church, Blair-
more, Rev. J. F. Hunter, R.D.,
pastor. Sunday: Morning service
at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at
2:30 p.m.; Young People's Class
at 2:30 p.m.; Evening service at 7:30
o'clock. Prayer meeting on Wed-
nesday at 8 p.m.

Mr. Loraine, well known in the
Pass as the man who has brought
many of the high-class shows to
these towns, was in Blairmore on
Tuesday and Wednesday of this
week. Mr. Loraine intends run-
ning a moving picture circuit
throughout this district in the near
future.

Miss A. Green will organize a
band of Hope at the Central Bap-
tist Church on Friday night at 7:30.
All children are invited to attend,
and as this organization will be
purely temperance in object and
non-sectarian, it is hoped that the
parents will take particular interest
therein.

First Presbyterian church, Blair-
more, Rev. A. S. Tod, B.D., pastor.
Sunday services: 11 a.m., subject
"Buried With"; 7:30 p.m., subject
"Religion That Helps." School 2
m. Adult Bible Class at 3 p.m.
Young People's Guild on Monday,
at 8 p.m., subject "Practical and
Business Ethics."—J. G. Smith.

Dawson & Green have received
permission from the C.P.R. to use
a portion of land near the track
and between Sixth and Seventh
Avenues for a skating rink, and
are busy this week putting up a
strong board fence, filling in the
holes and preparing it for the skat-
ers. We hope that the trouble of
inadequacy which has caused con-
siderable displeasure during other
seasons will not be so prominent
this winter.

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of music to render in an artistic
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by the hands in the usual way. It
is in mission style and cost about
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sale says that Mr. Frayer's is one
of the best pianos ever sold in this
province.

d strubation of seats and elections
will be necessary in two years.
Borden is not so strong a man in
the sense that Laurier is and his
cabinet is weaker still. The people
who swallowed the buncombe about
annexation will not be fooled a
second time by such a baseless
campaign cry and may turn once
more to the great leader who is as
grand in defeat as he was in victory.
—Western Star, Nfld.

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NEW MEETING PLACE

Town Council Will Hold Fort in the Beebe Clock-Lots of Room for Spectators.

MANY WANT TO BE POLICE.

Blairmore Will be Well Lighted—Many Street Lights Will Cause Great Effusion

The regular meeting of the Blairmore town council was held in Budd's hall on Monday evening. Mayor Lyon and all councillors were present. Minutes of preceding meeting were read and adopted.

Several communications were read. Among them being one from F. W. Doubt who asked for permission to construct a private telephone line from his livery stables to the restricted district.

Councillor Farmer thought that by granting Mr. Doubt's application the council would be advertising those undesirable places, and he would not favor such an action.

Councillor McLeod thought that Mr. Doubt's wish should be granted, and that the proposed line be also extended to the police barracks.

Farmer-McLeod that F. W. Doubt's communication be referred to Property and Works committee for report at next meeting—carried.

John Bush applied for a job to carry the refuse and garbage to the bush, or, in other words, a scavenger's job. His communication was carefully placed on file where other important documents are kept.

The following applications for the position of chief of police were read after which they were left to the tender mercy of the Police and License committee: Peter Patterson, Gilbert Roy and Joseph B. Farmer, Blairmore; E. W. Parish, Coleman; Fred R. Rhodes, Macleod.

A bill of \$6.95, due A. Bryden for doors, was ordered paid.

The name of Mrs. Burns was gently mentioned a few times and the council promised to see whether or not she should be supported by the ratepayers.

Dawson and Green asked for permission to use hose and water for skating rink which they are putting up on the green near the old Conservative committee rooms. Sinclair-Chestnut that the request of Dawson and Green be granted with the exception of the clause regarding free water—carried.

The Light committee wanted to give more light on the subject with which they are so closely connected, and recommended the installation of 9 street lights in different parts of that portion of the town south of the railroad and 6 lights along Victoria street besides the 5 already installed along State and Stuart streets. Sinclair-Chestnut that Light committee be instructed to bring in an estimate of the cost of the proposed lights at the next regular meeting—carried.

The following applications for

BLAIRMORE TO HAVE LARGE DEPARTMENTAL STORE--BIG INDUSTRIES WILL FOLLOW

It is currently rumored that a large departmental firm now doing an extensive business in other parts of the Crow's Nest Pass is shortly to locate in Blairmore. Representatives of the firm have already been here looking over the grounds and have taken options on several splendid sites.

Nothing definite has so far been given out to the press but it seems pretty certain that two or three lots on Victoria street will be purchased by this big firm and that the erection of a large brick and stone building thereon will immediately follow.

Blairmore is growing at such a rapid rate that it is not surprising that a concern of the nature referred to above is contemplating the establishing of a branch business here. The importance of the "Commercial Centre of The Pass" is becoming more and more a realization. Large factories are sure to follow. The remarkable opportunities for their success held out by Blairmore are quickly attracting manufacturers and wholesale houses to locate here.

A \$50,000 HOTEL TO BE BUILT IN THE "HUB OF THE PASS"

It is said in well-informed circles that a large and modern hotel, to cost over \$50,000, will be erected in Blairmore in the course of the next few months. This building will have only one equal in this district. Everything will be up-to-date and every modern convenience will be installed.

Just where the new hostelry will be built is not yet generally known but Dame Rumor says it will be erected some place on the new sub-division at the west end of Blairmore. We understand that plans and specifications are being prepared and as soon as a suitable site has been decided on tenders will be called for and work on the new hotel will follow almost immediately. The parties interested are out-of-town capitalists who do not wish their names to be made public just yet.

offices for secretary-treasurer and a meeting place for the council were read: W. A. Beebe offered use of room with floor space of 12 x 56 for \$20 per month; H. E. Lyon offered to rent office 12 x 15, with free light and fuel, for \$20 per month; T. Ede put in a tender of \$35 per month for use of vacant store on Victoria street. The Property and Works committee recommended the acceptance of W. A. Beebe's offer, and motion by Farmer-McLeod the said recommendation was accepted.

Those present were informed that the next meeting would be held in Mr. Beebe's building at the corner of Victoria street and Fifth avenue.

The Water and Works committee recommended that the sum of \$50,000 be paid Mr. W. J. Budd in January, 1912, for the work already done on the water system and that the balance of \$8,215 be paid at the completion of whole contract. Smith-McLeod that this council approve of the recommendation of the Water and Works committee with the exception that in addition to withholding the sum of \$8,250 that an additional security in the form of bonds or other means be taken until the completion of said work—carried.

Duff-Sinclair that the amount of money to be raised by bylaw No. 1 be changed from \$40,000 to \$35,000. The mover and seconder voted for the motion while councillors Farmer, Chestnut and Smith declared against it. Councillor McLeod did not vote. The motion was defeated.

Bylaws Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 were read a second time.

Mayor Lyon thought that the pool rooms should not be allowed

Liquor License Commissioners Meet

The liquor license commissioners met in Blairmore this morning (Thursday) for the purpose of considering applications for a whole sale license. There were five applications and these were from the following parties: Blairmore Liquor Co., Isaac Loughhead, R. M. Brisco, James Callan and Frayer and Murphy.

After considerable discussion on the matter the commissioners decided to not make any award at present but informed the applicants that their applications would be further considered at a meeting to be held in the city of Calgary on Friday, December 22 d.

ed to remain open any night after 12 o'clock as recommended in the "License and Police committee's report."

Councillor McLeod—I do not see any harm in allowing the pool rooms to run all night. They should be allowed to do so as well as the skating rinks and dancing halls.

Councillor Sinclair.—Dance halls should not be permitted to be kept open all night any more than the pool rooms.

Councillor Chestnut.—Ferne and Craubrook allow their pool rooms to be kept open all night.

Mayor Lyon.—Their hotels were kept open same hours until quite recently.

Councillor Farmer.—I believe that pool rooms and council meetings should be closed by midnight.

The discussion then ceased and the meeting adjourned immediately after voting on a motion that the debate on bylaw No. 4 be continued on next meeting night.

Many a truthful man breaks his word because he stutters.

Mine Rescue Station Located at Blairmore

Many miners and others throughout The Pass will be pleased to learn that the provincial government is about to place a mine rescue station in Blairmore after which several more will be placed in other parts of Alberta. The stations will be fully equipped with the most modern mine rescue apparatus.

Demonstrations of the Dräger, Fleuss and the Pneumotest mine rescue apparatus have been made before mine operators and workmen and, after several tests, it was decided that the one best suited for the purpose was the Fleuss. This same make produced highly satisfactory results from demonstrations made by the commission appointed in Great Britain, in 1910, to investigate such life preserving means.

Full equipment for the Blairmore station has been ordered and it is expected that same will be ready for operation in January, 1912.

The complete manner in which the details have been worked out for the successful installation and operation of the various stations contemplated, reflects great credit upon the provincial government who evidently are using every effort for the protection of life in case of mine accidents.

Mr. John T. Stirling, provincial inspector of mines, is the officer entrusted by the government to work out these details. With such a capable man as supervisor we have no hesitancy in saying that the work will be well done and completed to the entire satisfaction of all.

The first station will be located in Blairmore as the result of the efforts of Mr. R. W. Coulthard, the general manager of the West Canadian Collieries, and because of the town's central position.

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